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House of Representatives

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Ms. WEXTON).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
August 10, 2021.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JENNIFER WEXTON to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

Holy God, grant us wisdom this day, wisdom to approach our tasks, our daily dealings, and our lives with care and prudence, yielding to Your authority.

You have set before us standards and expectations for living according to Your principles. Reveal to us again our responsibility, in light of Your precepts, to change our self-serving ways and to follow paths of righteousness.

When we are inclined to compare ourselves with others, may we discover that it is in meditating on and abiding by Your commandments that give us value and purpose comparable to none.

When we seek to grow in knowledge and accomplishments, may we learn that our wisdom and success will disappoint us if we have not grounded ourselves first in Your truth.

May we come to delight in the reassurance of Your presence and in the protection of Your guiding hand. Allow us to taste the sweetness of Your promises. May Your words be like honey to our mouths.

In the strength of Your name we pray.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(a) of House Resolution 188, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, August 9, 2021.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on August 9, 2021, at 1:54 p.m.:

That the Senate passed S. 610.
That the Senate passed S. 812.
That the Senate passed S. 1031.
That the Senate passed S. 1041.
That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 1448.

That the Senate agreed to Relative to the death of the Honorable Maurice Robert Gravel former United States Senator from the State of Alaska S. Res. 343.

Appointment:
Commission on Social Impact Partnerships
With best wishes, I am,
Sincerely,

GLORIA J. LETT,
Deputy Clerk.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(b) of House Resolution 188, the House stands adjourned until noon on Friday, August 13, 2021.

Thereupon (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, August 13, 2021, at noon.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-1889. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Air Plan Approval; Tennessee; Knoxville Area Limited Maintenance Plan for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone NAAQS [EPA-R04-OAR-2020-0221; FRL-8761-02-R4] received July 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1890. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Regulatory Affairs Division, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Safety Standard for Infant Sleep Products [CPSC Docket No.: 2017-0020] received July 26, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1891. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Regulatory Affairs Division, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's direct final rule — Testing and Labeling Pertaining to Product Certification; Requirements Pertaining to Third Party Conformity Assessment Bodies [Docket No.: CPSC-2021-0013] received July 26, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1892. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Regulatory Affairs Division, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's direct final rule — Safety Standard for Children's Folding Chairs and

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Stools [Docket No.: CPSC-2015-0029] received July 26, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1893. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Regulatory Affairs Division, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's direct final rule — Standard for the Flammability of Upholstered Furniture [Docket No.: CPSC-2021-0007] received July 26, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1894. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Guanidinoacetic Acid [Docket No.: FDA-2019-F-5401] received July 21, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1895. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Air Plan Approval; California; Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District; Graphic Arts and Printing Operations [EPA-R09-OAR-2020-0674; FRL-8713-02-R9] received July 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1896. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Ocean Dumping; Modification of an Ocean Dredged Material Deposit Site Offshore Port Everglades, Florida [EPA-R04-OW-2020-0056; FRL-8737-01-R4] received July 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

EC-1897. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting notification that the national emergency with respect to expiration of the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended, declared in Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001, is to continue in effect for 1 year beyond August 17, 2021, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d); Public Law 94-412, Sec. 202(d); (90 Stat. 1257) (H. Doc. No. 117—54); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed.

EC-1898. A letter from the Sanctions Regulations Advisor, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — International Criminal Court-Related Sanctions Regulations received July 23, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

EC-1899. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-123, "Real Property Tax Sale COVID-19 Equitable Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1900. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-124, "DCPS Drug Testing Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1901. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-141, "Engineering Licensure Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1902. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-142, "Fiscal Year 2021 Revised Local Budget Advance School Payment and COVID Relief Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1903. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-143, "Good Faith Waiver of Certificates of Need for Health Care Providers Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1904. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-144, "Local Food Access Grants Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1905. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-145, "Fair Elections Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1906. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-146, "Student Activity Fund Theatrical and Music Performance Expenditures Temporary Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1907. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-147, "Certificate of Assurance Moratorium Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1908. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-148, "Local Business Enterprise Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1909. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-149, "Performing Arts Promotion Temporary Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1910. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-150, "Insurer Corporate Governance Annual Report Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1911. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting DC Act 24-122, "Flavored Tobacco Product Prohibition Amendment Act of 2021", pursuant to Public Law 93-198, Sec. 602(c)(1); (87 Stat. 814); to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

EC-1912. A letter from the Fisheries Regulations Specialist, NOAA/NMFS, Office of Sustainable Fisheries — Alaska Region, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's temporary rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Reapportionment of the 2020 Gulf of Alaska Pacific Halibut Prohibited Species Catch Limits for the Trawl Deep-Water and Shallow-Water Fishery Categories [Docket No.: 200221-0062] (RTID: 0648-XA314) received July 20, 2021, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CASE:

H.R. 4988. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to establish that reconciliation directives in a budget resolution may not cause a net increase in the deficit for the period of fiscal years covered by that resolution; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BUCHANAN (for himself and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 4989. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the implementation of curricula for training students, teachers, and school personnel to understand, recognize, prevent, and respond to signs of human trafficking and exploitation in children and youth, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CARTER of Georgia:

H.R. 4990. A bill to codify the Institute for Telecommunication Sciences and to direct the Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Communications and Information to establish an initiative to support the development of emergency communication and tracking technologies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DEFazio (for himself, Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. COHEN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. POCAN, Mr. KHANNA, and Mr. GRIJALVA):

H.R. 4991. A bill to require persons who undertake federally funded research and development of a biomedical product or service to enter into reasonable pricing agreements with the Secretary of Health and Human Services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DEUTCH:

H.R. 4992. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to increase the age at which a rifle or shotgun may be acquired from a federally licensed firearms dealer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. DINGELL:

H.R. 4993. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to modify the limitation on reimbursement for emergency treatment of amounts owed to a third party or for which the veteran is responsible under a health-plan contract; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. ESPAILLAT (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. MENG, Mr. GARCIA of Illinois, Ms. BASS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. BROWN, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. JACOBS of California, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. COSTA, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. KILMER, Ms. TLAB, Ms. ESCOBAR, Ms. BROWNLEY, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CARSON, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, and Mr. PAPPAS):

H.R. 4994. A bill to prohibit the use of Federal funds for Confederate symbols, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, and Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each